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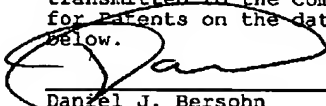
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AMENDMENT

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S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed
February 24, 2005, the term for response to which is extended by
one month by Petition filed concurrently herewith to expire on
June 24, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 4 of this paper. Claims 1, 2, 4-6,
8, 9, 11 and 12 are amended; and claims 3, 7 and 10 are canceled.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.